

1 _____ BILL NO. _____

2 INTRODUCED BY _____
3 (Primary Sponsor)

4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT PROVIDING THAT A PERSON GATHERING SIGNATURES FOR
5 THE INITIATIVE, THE REFERENDUM, OR TO CALL A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION MUST BE A
6 RESIDENT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA; AND AMENDING SECTION 13-27-102, MCA."

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8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

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10 **Section 1.** Section 13-27-102, MCA, is amended to read:

11 **"13-27-102. Who may petition and gather signatures.** (1) A petition for the initiative, the referendum,
12 or to call a constitutional convention may be signed only by a qualified elector of the state of Montana.

13 (2) A person gathering signatures for the initiative, the referendum, or to call a constitutional convention
14 must be a resident of the state of Montana."

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